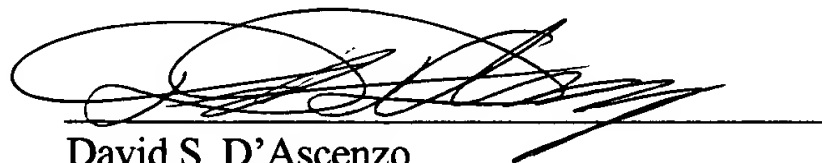


## REMARKS

This is a response to the June 15, 2005 second Restriction Requirement issued in connection with the above-identified patent application. In Applicants' response to the first Restriction Requirement, claims 1-45 and 67-75 were elected, with claims 46-66 being withdrawn as being directed to non-elected inventions. Applicants note that the species election from the first Restriction Requirement has been amended in view of Applicants' remarks in the supplemental response that was filed in connection with the first Restriction Requirement. Applicants thank the Examiner for considering these remarks and issuing a revised set of species in the second Restriction Requirement. From the figure-based set of Species 1-7, Applicants hereby elect Species 2 (Fig. 9) for initial examination. Applicants submit that claims 1-15, 17-32, 34-42 and 67-75 read on the elected species.

With the above species election for initial examination, Applicants submit that all of the issues raised in the second Restriction Requirement have been addressed. If the Examiner has any questions or identifies any remaining issues that may be resolved in a telephone interview to advance prosecution of the present application, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned attorney at the number listed below.

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